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)	Group Art Unit: 2661
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)	Customer number: 23644
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Arrangement and Method)	Confirmation number: 1384

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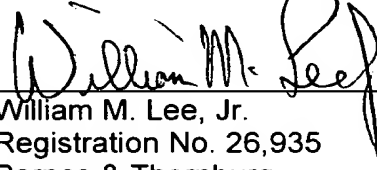
Attached hereto is a copy of the Petition (without its attachments) that was filed with the Patent and Trademark Office because the Patent and Trademark Office continues to mishandle this application. To date, no acknowledgement or any response has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office regarding this application.

It is requested that the Patent and Trademark Office advise the undersigned as to when the Patent and Trademark Office will straighten out the situation and

properly handle this application. Any questions should be directed to the undersigned.

December 27, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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**PETITION FOR REMOVAL OF ABANDONMENT, ISSUANCE OF CORRECTED
FILING RECEIPT, AND EXAMINATION OF THE APPLICATION**

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Dear Sir:

This petition is being filed because the Patent and Trademark Office has not properly acted on this application and continues to follow its previous errors. No fee is due because the errors are clearly those of the Patent and Trademark Office.

This application has never been abandoned, and due to an error in a Serial Number, the Missing Parts for the application were inadvertently directed to the wrong application. That was corrected, and on May 3, 2002, the Patent and Trademark Office acknowledged that all was in order and the application was not abandoned. A copy of the May 3, 2002 order is attached.

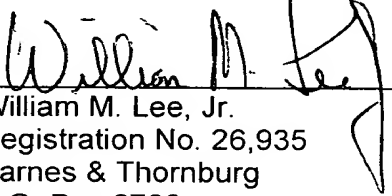
The Patent and Trademark Office then sent a withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment on December 12, 2003. A copy of that withdrawal is appended hereto, as well. However, the Patent and Trademark Office never corrected its records, although it issued an updated Filing Receipt also of February 12, 2003. A copy of that Filing Receipt is attached.

The undersigned filed a Request for Correction of the Filing Date for the application on October 6, 2006. A copy of that document is also attached.

To date, no action has been taken by the Patent and Trademark Office, although this application should have been examined long ago. It is requested that the Patent and Trademark Office no longer delay, and properly examine this application.

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Respectfully submitted,



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